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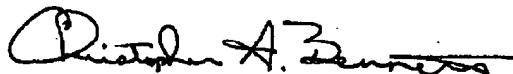
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Please find attached hereto the following documents for the above-identified application:

Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,



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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
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Title: A METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING A SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE	

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification** begin on page _____ of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page _____ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet. An **Appendix** including the amended drawing figures is attached following page _____ of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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